GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - M.A. & U.D. Department - Disciplinary Proceedings under Rule 20 of A.P. Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991) instituted against Dr. J.Aruna, the then Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chittoor - Articles of Charges issued - Written Statement of Defence submitted - Further action dropped - Orders - Issued.

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MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Vig.III-2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 361 **Dated: 28-04-2025**

1. From the CDMA, AP, Vaddeswaram Lr.Rc.No.R-7335656/2023/C1, dated 17.07.2023 & 10.06.2024.
2. G.O.Rt.No.483, M.A. & U.D. (Vig.III) Dept., dated 09.07.2024.
3. From Dr. J.Aruna, the then Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chittoor and presently working as DPO, Krishna, Machilipatnam, written statement of defence, dated 18.01.2025 through CDMA.

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ORDER:

Based on the report of the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P. in the letter 1st read above, disciplinary proceedings under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 have been initiated against Dr. J.Aruna, the then Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chittoor, on the charges of failure to follow the procedure for conduct of the public auction towards allotment of Municipal Land to an extent of 2500Sq.ft on lease basis, in deviation of respective provisions of Section 148 of Municipal Corporation Act, 1955, requiring her to submit written statement of defence against the articles of charge.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Charged Officer viz., Dr. J.Aruna, the then Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chittoor and presently working as DPO, Krishna, Machilipatnam, has submitted her statement of defence, stating that she acted as per the resolution passed by the Municipal General body, Chittoor and directions of higher authorities and accordingly submitted proposals for approval of Government on leasing out the land as per due procedure. As there is no Government order communicated in the matter, the land belongs to Municipality is still under the control of Municipality, hence in the circumstances explained therein, the charged officer has requested to drop further action against her.

3. Government, after careful examination of the matter, has observed that the explanation of the charged officer is convincing and therefore, decided to drop further action in the matter. Accordingly, Government hereby drop further action in the matter against Dr. J.Aruna, the then Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chittoor and presently working as DPO, Krishna, Machilipatnam.

4. The Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration, AP, Vaddeswaram shall take further necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Dr. J.Aruna, the then Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chittoor and presently working as DPO, Krishna, Machilipatnam **through** CDMA, A.P., Vaddeswaram.
The Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration, AP., Vaddeswaram.

Copy to:

The Regional Director-cum-Appellate Commissioner of Municipal Administration, Ananthapuramu.
The Municipal Commissioner, Chittoor Municipal Corporation.
Sf/Sc (E 2463944).

// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER